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*Title of Application:***METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LIMITING SHOCK DAMAGE TO HARD DISK DRIVE DURING OPERATION***Transmitted with the patent application are the following:*

1 Page(s) Transmittal form (plus one copy)  
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<i>Basic Fee</i>					\$750.00
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<i>Independent Claims</i>	3	- 3 -	0	× \$84.00	.00
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